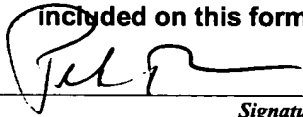
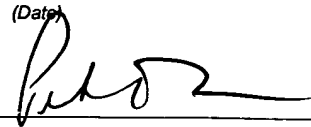


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Application No. 10/628,629	Filing Date July 28, 2003	Examiner Albert Mark Navarro	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 1645	Confirmation No. 4910	
Invention: TEMPERATURE-STABLE GLYCOSYLATED RECOMBINANT CHICKEN CYSTAIN AND THE USE THEREOF						
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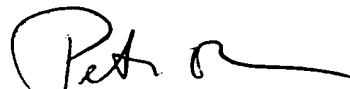
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2005, setting forth a requirement for restriction, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.111 and 1.143, Applicant provisionally elects, with traverse, the subject matter of Group I, claims 1-4 and 13, drawn to modified chicken cystatin proteins, classified in class 530, subclass 350, for continued prosecution.

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